

DANIELSON AND PUTNAM NEWS

DANIELSON

Partners Drawn for Bohemian Club's Pool Tournament—Appraisers on Marlor Estate Appointed—Savings Bank Declares Semi-Annual Dividend.

Fred H. Gilbert of Jewett City was in Danielson Monday.

Mrs. John Healey of School street and Miss Sadie Rooney are to leave this week for Hartford to make their home.

Nathan D. Prince has a new automobile of the coupelet type.

Matters concerning the A. F. Wood company, in the hands of a receiver, will come before the superior court in Putnam this morning.

To Give Operetta.

Plans are being made at Killingly High school for giving an operetta.

Mrs. Elizabeth Edwards was the guest of friends in Wauregan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Carriga have returned from a visit to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Weisberg of Hartford and Benjamin Weisberg of New York were guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. A. Weisberg of Academy street.

John B. Guinols of New Bedford was in Danielson on a business trip Monday.

John Ruddy of Mystic spent Sunday at his home here.

Daniel Carriga, who has been at Baltimore, was a visitor here with his brother, Hugh Carriga.

Henry Chapin has some Jack-in-the-pulpit plants in bloom at his home.

Mrs. W. H. Judson is to have the members of the Ladies Aid society of the Methodist church at her home for a meeting Wednesday afternoon.

Pomfret Rector to Preach.

Rev. P. S. Irwin of Pomfret is to conduct the mid-week Lenten service at St. Alban's church Thursday evening.

Auction at Asaf Farm.

J. Carl Witter conducted an auction on the Asaf farm, on the Squaw Rocks road to Moosup, Monday.

W. M. Franklin, W. L. Moran and A. W. Williams, executive committee of the Bohemian club, will arrange another pinocle tournament.

Arthur C. Bennett of North Scituate, R. I. was a visitor with Danielson friends Monday.

Native of East Killingly.

Mrs. Jennie Newton Chase, who died recently in Malden, Mass., was born at East Killingly and lived there for years.

Fishermen inclined to find out how the trout are biting will be taking some chances this week if they go out before April 1.

Members of the Pentecostal church are to hold a prayer meeting with Rev. H. N. Brown at the parsonage on Key street this (Tuesday) evening.

Testing Turbine.

The big turbine 1,000 kilowatt, at the plant of the electric lighting company at Plainfield, is now connected with the lines and is being tested for regular service. The new machine gives the company the additional power it needed.

Opposed Bank Removal.

Representative Oscar Atwood of Brooklyn and Charles S. Hyde of Canterbury, appeared before the committee on banks in the legislature in opposition to the plan of removing the Brooklyn Savings bank from the West Side (East Brooklyn) to Danielson. A number of persons appeared in favor of the plan.

Partners for Pool Tournament.

Third drawings for partners have been made in the Bohemian club's pool tournament. One game has been played. Herbert Barber (100) won from Walter L. Hoyle (100), 100 to 117. The other games to be played and handicaps are as follows: Charles E. Franklin (125), A. E. Whittington (70); John Bassett and M. S. Warren, or W. K. Litch; Louis Young and J. Carl Witter; or H. Denham Arnold; D. E. Jette and Harold Atwood, Wilfred Puize and C. N. Turner.

MARLOR ESTATE APPRAISERS.

Nathan D. Prince of Danielson and C. Starr Burlingame of New York Appointed.

At a hearing before Judge Oscar Atwood of the probate court for the district of Brooklyn, Cashier Nathan D. Prince of the Windham County National bank and C. Starr Burlingame of New York, formerly of Brooklyn, were named as appraisers of the estate of the late Henry S. Marlor, who died in Brooklyn in October. There are four executors of Mr. Marlor's will.

PUTNAM

Alleged Case of Cruelty to Animals—Proprietor and Five Others Pay Fines in Chickering Hotel Cases—Three Forfeit Bonds—City Meeting Votes Against Improved Lighting and Better Police Protection.

Judge M. A. Shumway will preside at the session of the superior court that opens here this morning, the March term.

A session of the city court is scheduled for this (Tuesday) morning for the trial of a case involving alleged cruelty to animals. It is thought the case will be adjourned.

Pupils Entertained.

The pupils of Miss Mildred Wrightman were delightfully entertained Saturday at her home on Farrows street.

A musical program was given in which all took part. Each selection was finely rendered. Following the musical, games were enjoyed and refreshments served.

Her Art a Mystery.

It is a mentalist of marvelous perception, was the special attraction at the shows at the Bradley theater Monday, answering many questions from the audience that time to prove very much of a mystery in his powers.

Looking for Night Clerk.

The state police engaged in the raid here Saturday night left town Monday afternoon. Robert W. Bridgeman, who was in charge of the squad, was anxious to locate the night clerk at the Chickering hotel before he left, but said he had been unable to do so.

Thomas Coffey has resigned as a brakeman with the New Haven road after having been in the employ of the road for about 14 years. Mr. Coffey is now employed at the Bradley theater.

The William Donovan benefit, arranged by the Moose, Foresters and firemen and given here recently, netted \$61.

It is expected that the change of postmasters in Putnam will not take place until April 1, when the quarter ends. Alex Gilman, the newly appointed postmaster, will have qualified before that time to take up the duties of his new office.

Resigns as Assistant Prosecuting Attorney.

Deputy Judge Howard C. Bradford

all residents of New York, one an attorney, one a banker and one a broker. It is not known how much the estate will inventory, but some time before this time here his estate was estimated as in excess of a million dollars. It is believed that he made many very large gifts within a comparatively short time before his death, however, so the inventory will probably be well under that figure, although this is not definitely known. Much of the estate is in high grade securities.

Jail Prisoners to Plead.

Nine prisoners held at the Windham county jail in Brooklyn will be taken, in charge of deputy sheriffs, to Putnam this (Tuesday) morning to answer to the charges of a criminal nature under which they are held, some of them for many weeks. An automobile truck will convey the prisoners direct from the jail to Putnam.

Among the lot are prisoners bound over from the town court of Killingly on charges in some instances of a serious nature. This is the first number of prisoners to go up for pleading in a number of terms. There are a few others persons charged with criminal offenses out under bond.

SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND.

Declared at Meeting of Trustees of Savings Society.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Windham County Savings bank Monday afternoon a semi-annual dividend at the rate of four per cent. per annum was declared, to be payable in April. Since the bank was organized in October, 1913, it has enjoyed a merited degree of success, pleasing alike to officials and depositors. This is the third two per cent. dividend declared since the bank reopened, and it so happened in this case that the dividend was earned by the close of 1914.

In the legislature at this time is pending a bill providing for an amendment to the bank's charter, which was drawn here today by the Windham County Savings bank Monday.

The amendment is in effect a new charter, embracing all the good features of the present one, but without radical changes. The new charter is said to be a model one and follows closely the lines of most charters being drawn for savings banks in Connecticut at this time.

has resigned his appointment, held for several years as assistant prosecuting attorney of the city court of Putnam, owing to his recent appointment as deputy judge. It is expected that the common council will fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Bradford's resignation.

FINES IN HOTEL CASES.

Proprietor Hart, of Chickering House, Pays \$100—Five Others Pay—Three Forfeit Bonds.

In the city court Monday morning all of the cases of the men and women arrested in the raid at the Hotel Chickering were disposed of. John Brown, George Correy and Alice Devo, who had been released on cash bail, failed to appear and their bonds were forfeited. Rose Hall, Alice Chambers and Mabel Bond, charged as frequenters, paid fines of \$25 and costs. Joseph Alley and Charles Omar each paid fines of \$10 and costs. William Dwyer pleaded guilty to frequenting and was fined \$50. Upon his agreement to leave the city and not return two other counts were nolle with the understanding that if he does return the charges will be taken up. John A. Hart was represented by Lawyer J. H. Carpenter, who entered a demurrer to the complaint. The demurrer was overruled and a fine of \$100 was imposed and paid. Mr. Carpenter stated to the court that Mr. Hart was very ill and was soon to be removed to a hospital.

The court room was packed to the doors and many could not get in. After one hundred and twenty-seven cases had been disposed of, a short recess was taken and court adjourned to the large hall upstairs.

TAX ONE MILL LESS.

Annual City Meeting, with Thought of Economy, Votes Against Better Lighting and Additional Police Protection.

The annual meeting of the city of Putnam was held in the city hall building at 9 o'clock Monday morning and the appropriations as recommended by the common council were voted. On motion of Alderman Johnson a tax of 2 1/2 mills was levied as a special sewer tax. The tax levied last year was 3 1/2 mills, so that the total tax rate for this year will be one mill less than last year. The items for providing a better lighting service and more police protection were laid on the table.

The council in the call for the meeting had made known that they did not recommend this additional expense at this time. At the meeting the mayor presided and the attendance was a little larger than usual. On motion of Chester E. Child it was voted that hereafter copies of the annual city report contain statements of the city debt for the preceding five years for comparative purposes.

Following is the list of criminal cases to come at this term of the superior court which opens in Putnam today: Continued cases, Fred F. Mueller, assault with intent to commit rape; Eugene Bennett, breach of the peace and Sabbath breaking; Nellie Thomas, Sabbath breaking; Herbert Manning, assault with intent to commit rape; a female child, New cases: William Greenwood, breach of the peace; William Corey, abuse of female child; William Trever, breach of the peace; statutory burglary; Adam Searl, the Albert Miner, theft; Ephraim Lajoie, statutory burglary; Molly Parker, theft; Wilfred Pelletier, rape.

BODY OF CAPTAIN OF OYSTER STEAMER FOUND ASHORE.

Vessel was Capsized Off Conanicut Island and Saturday—Three Others Aboard Missing.

James town, R. I., March 1. — The body of J. M. Tate, captain of the oyster steamer, Fred Snow, was found on the shore here today. The body was found in the capsized vessel discovered off Conanicut Island on Saturday.

The Snow was bound from Bridgeport for Providence. It is believed that she was capsized in a squall Friday night. No other persons were aboard, two sailors and a woman cook, has been found.

UPRISING AT PROGRESSO, MEX.

STOPS DISCHARGE OF LINER.

After Waiting Two Days the Ward Line Ship Proceeded to Vera Cruz.

New York, March 1.—Word was received here today by the Ward line that the steamer Morro Castle had been unable to discharge all her freight at Progresso, Mexico, because of the uprising there and that after waiting two days had proceeded to Vera Cruz.

The Morro Castle carried passengers for Progresso as well as freight. Part of the freight was unloaded. Whether the passengers were landed is not known.

DRASTIC PROHIBITION LAW IN COLORADO.

Legislature Completes Law to Enforce Constitutional Amendment.

Denver, Colo., March 1.—The Colorado legislature today completed the law to enforce the statewide constitutional prohibition amendment effective January 1, 1915. The senate and house adopted the report of the conference committee which alters the administration bill in two essentials.

One reduces from six to four ounces the quantity of liquor to be sold by druggists on a physician's prescription and the other provides that druggists can keep on hand liquor valued at one per cent. of the value of his stock. The measure now goes to the governor.

Extension of B. & M. Notes.

Boston, March 1.—The plan for a six months' extension of nearly \$23,000,000 in short time notes of the Boston and Maine railroad, which are due tomorrow, was declared operative in a circular letter sent to the noteholders by President J. H. Hustis today. Holders of approximately 97 per cent. of the notes have forwarded their signed agreements for the extension, thereby removing danger of receivership proceedings for the present.

Gift of \$50,000 for High School.

Swansea, Mass., March 1.—A gift of \$50,000 to this town from Mrs. Frank S. Stevens for the erection of a high school was announced at the annual town meeting today. Mrs. Stevens and her husband, the late Frank S. Stevens, had previously given the town a public library, town hall and grammar school, as well as building an Episcopal church and a rest home for Episcopal church workers.

Wethersfield Prisoner Still at Large.

Hartford, Conn., March 1.—Concerning the escape of Charles Creston from the state prison at Wethersfield Sunday morning, Warden Ward A. Garner said today that the authorities were following a clue which looked good, but he declined to say what it was. Police in this state and other states have been notified.

British Casualties at Dardanelles.

London, March 1, 10:53 p. m.—An admiralty report says that one marine was killed and three wounded on the British battleship Vengeance in the attack on the abrdennelles forts on Friday.

Speculation as to the future political and commercial results of the possible capture of Constantinople by the allies and of the formidable passageway thereto is overshadowed just at present by a consideration of the immediate military benefits which will result from such a situation. Once in possession of the waterway and of the Turkish capital through the greatness of their fleet, which includes great battle cruisers like the Vengeance, the allies could reckon upon these important developments without delay.

The dissipation of the Ottoman resistance and offensive against the Russians in Transcaucasia, and the consequent release of large bodies of Russian troops for service against the Germans and Austrians, the ending of

all fear of a renewal of Turkish efforts to invade Egypt and capture the Suez Canal, with the resultant that Great Britain would be able to employ more than 100,000 troops in land operations against the Turks; the checking of Turkish pressure against Russian and British influence in Persia; the removal of the Turkish menace in the Balkan states and the increase of allied influence in the Levant, and the opportunity afforded the allied squadrons to dispose once for all of the Turkish fleet. One political consideration is likewise of present importance. That is the effect which an allied triumph in Turkey will have upon peace propogandists in Russia. However much Russia may be wearied by past or future German successes in Po-

land, the prospect of a realization of her dream of domination in Turkey will unquestionably assure a continuance of her efforts against her Teutonic adversaries. Whether Great Britain will consent to the complete possession of Constantinople by Russia cannot be even prophesied now, since it depends almost entirely upon events to come. Still one more great benefit will accrue from the capture of the strait. With that passageway opened the entrance of war munitions and supplies from Great Britain and France to Russia will be as easy a matter as will be the egress of Russia's great supplies of grain from the Black Sea territories to France and Great Britain. Rich in men, Russia is admittedly poor in war material.

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REPORT OF BLOWING UP

OF MEXICAN GUNBOAT

In Progresso Harbor With a Loss of Ten of Her Crew.

Washington, March 1.—Private advices received here from headquarters of the Ward line in New York report the blowing up of the Mexican gunboat Progresso in Progresso harbor yesterday with a loss of ten of her crew.

After one hundred and twenty-seven survivors are being taken from Progresso to Vera Cruz on the Ward liner Morro Castle.

New York, March 1.—Officials of the Ward line said this afternoon that they had received advices by cable from the captain of the Morro Castle indicating that there had been an accident of some sort at Progresso, but not setting forth the nature of the accident. The Morro Castle, it was said, had left Progresso for Vera Cruz after unloading only a part of the freight consigned to Progresso.

The message said, according to a representative of the line, that the Morro Castle had taken aboard 127 "rescued men" at Progresso. Although the gunboat Progresso was not mentioned in the message, according to this representative, it was assumed here that the report that there had been an explosion was true.

Apparently the message had been censored, it was said. They had been cut and garbled in transit and were almost wholly unintelligible. The Morro Castle was due at Vera Cruz today.

2,300 Barbers Hold Certificates in State

Hartford, Conn., March 1.—According to figures given out by the state barbers' commission today there are 2,300 barbers holding certificates in Connecticut. Of these, it was said about 80 per cent. were natives of Italy. It was stated that Poles, Hungarians and Syrians were engaging in the business in increasing number. The commissioners said shop conditions were constantly improving.

Fire in the business section of Peoria, Ill., did \$1,000,000 damage.

VIOLATIONS OF THE CUSTOMS LAW

Indictments Against the Hamburg-American Line and Five Men Alleged to Have Been Connected With Furnishing Supplies to German Cruisers in the Atlantic Ocean—False Clearances and Fake Manifest of Cargoes is Charged.

New York, March 1.—The federal grand jury which has been investigating violations of the customs law in connection with furnishing of supplies to German cruisers in the Atlantic today returned an indictment against the Hamburg-American line and five men alleged to have been connected with the shipments.

The indictment charges conspiracy to defraud the government through the filing at the custom house of false records, false clearances of vessels and false manifests of cargo.

The men named in the indictment are Karl Bunz, director in charge of the New York office of the Hamburg-American line; J. Poppemause, who served as supercargo on the steamship Berwind; George Kotter, Felix Seifner and Adolph Hachmeister.

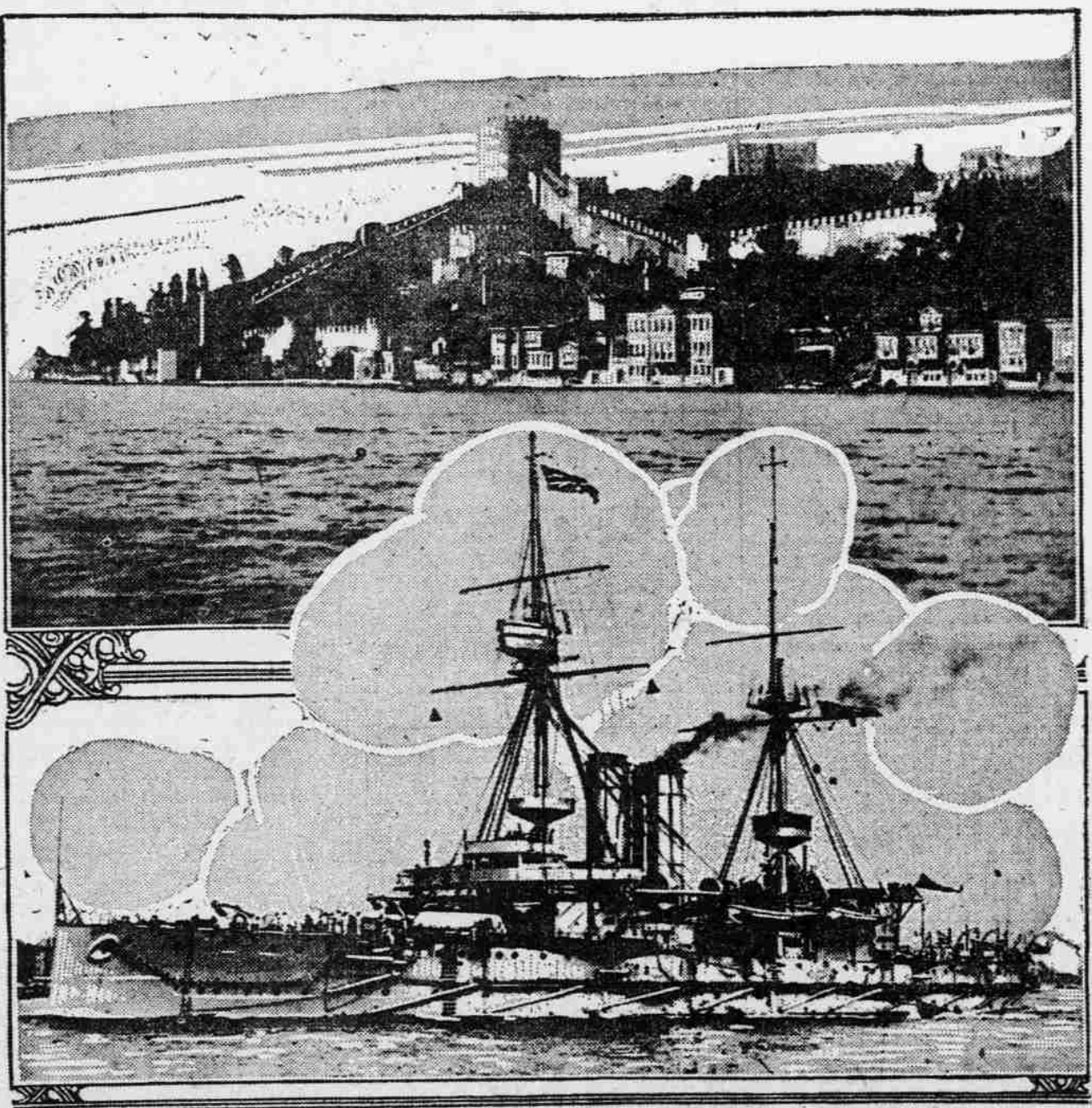
The federal grand jury has been investigating since Friday last a complaint made by Sir Courtenay Walter Bennett, British consul general here, and evidence submitted by the office of the United States district attorney. The consul general alleged violations of the customs law in connection with the chartering of the American steamships Berwind and Lorenzo and the Norwegian steamships Fram and Sommerstad.

Kotter is superintendent of the Hamburg-American line here and Seifner was supercargo of the Lorenzo, a vessel owned by the New York and Porto Rico Steamship company, which was surprised and captured in West

Indian waters by a British cruiser while coaling the German cruiser Karlsruhe.

Two indictments were returned. The conspiracy, it is charged in the indictment, was formed on Aug. 1 last and included the defendants named and other persons unknown to the grand jury. In furtherance of the conspiracy it is alleged in the indictments, Superintendent Kotter on Aug. 5, 1914, consulted with John H. Gaus of the Gaus steamship line, officials of the Berwind White Coal Mining company and Wessels, Kulenkampf & company, exporters, regarding the clearance of the Berwind. It is further charged in the indictments that on the same day Karl Bunz and George Kotter consulted with Gustave Kulenkampf, a member of the last named firm, about the clearance of the steamship Lorenzo with a cargo of coal for Buenos Aires. It was the firm of Wessels, Kulenkampf & company which cleared the Lorenzo from this port. The Lorenzo had aboard 3,977 tons of coal. The same concern cleared the Berwind, which had aboard 2,737 tons of coal. The Berwind steamed from New York on Aug. 5 for Buenos Aires and arrived at Rio Janeiro on Sept. 15, more than two weeks overdue.

Madison.—The building industry at Madison is flourishing. Sixteen new cottages have been put up during the winter. Some of them are of considerable value.



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land, the prospect of a realization of her dream of domination in Turkey will unquestionably assure a continuance of her efforts against her Teutonic adversaries. Whether Great Britain will consent to the complete possession of Constantinople by Russia cannot be even prophesied now, since it depends almost entirely upon events to come. Still one more great benefit will accrue from the capture of the strait. With that passageway opened the entrance of war munitions and supplies from Great Britain and France to Russia will be as easy a matter as will be the egress of Russia's great supplies of grain from the Black Sea territories to France and Great Britain. Rich in men, Russia is admittedly poor in war material.

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The failure to do so for two hours during the daytime exposes the party in default to the penalty provided by the ordinance.

The ordinance also provide that in case of violation of any of the foregoing provisions, or refusal or neglect to comply with them, the party violating them or not complying with them shall pay a penalty of five dollars for every four hours of neglect, after notice from any policeman of the city. The ordinance also make it the duty of the Street Commissioner to collect all penalties incurred under the foregoing provisions, and if they are not paid to him on demand, to report the case to the City Attorney, who shall prosecute the party offending.

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